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IN RELATION TO

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JANUARY 31, 1849.

Ordered to lie on the table, and be printed.

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Springfield, January 19, 1849.

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